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Attention: Christopher J. Lotz
Subject: Monsanto Project 3808
South Trunk Sewer
JSA Job #8434

Reference: J.S. Alberici letter dated July 26,1985 42" Pipe Joint Procedure

Monsanto has reviewed your joint procedure as presented in the referrenced letter and has the following two comments:

- First paragraph, second to last sentance. When dry set of pipe is made <u>Fnd Gap</u> must be checked for conformance to the specified tolerances first, followed by centering and invert alignments.
- 2. Second paragraph additionally, any movement of pipe after making contact is unacceptable other than motion required for straight ahead inserting of the new pipe into the bell and as required when releasing the inserted pipe from the insertion rig. If additional movement takes place, the new pipe is to be removed and inspected to ensure that the joint material is properly in place.

Please recognize that the intent here is to avoid loss of mortar material prior to compressing the joint.

Monsanto considers these comments to be within the scope and specifications of the contract and required to obtain a quality product.

We appreciate your interest in increasing productivity and minimizing project costs and will support your efforts whenever possible without sacrificing quality.

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> Please let me know if you have any disagreement with the comments stated herein.

> > Sincerely,

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